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Dear Sir:

Please find enclosed a patent application as follows:

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Title: SYSTEM FOR FULFILLING AN INFORMATION NEED

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